

## ABSTRACT

5       An elastic belt (11; 21; 31) formed of an elastic material endlessly in a cylinder  
has an inner surface (11b; 21b; 31b) and/or an outer surface (11a; 21a; 31a) thermally  
pressed and thus smoothed to provide an industrial elastic belt. Furthermore a method  
of producing an industrial elastic belt, including the step of thermally pressing an inner  
surface and/or an outer surface of an elastic belt formed of an elastic material endlessly  
in a cylinder. An industrial elastic belt having a surface enhanced in smoothness and a  
method of producing an industrial elastic belt that can help the belt to have a surface  
10       enhanced in smoothness, can thus be provided.